

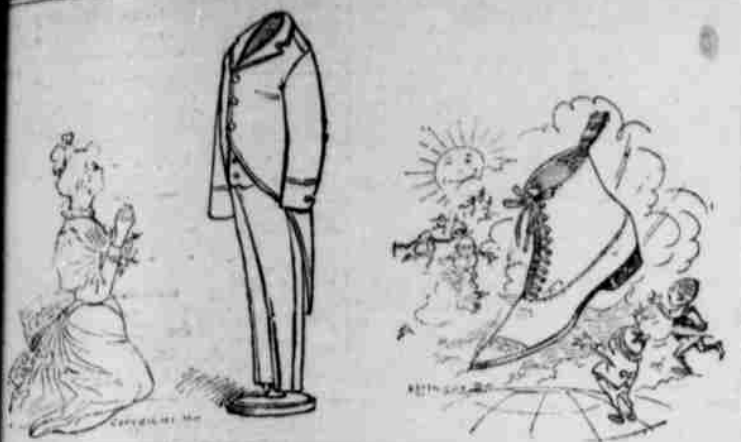
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SHERMAN CRITICISED.

Senator Turpie of Indiana Goes for the Ohioan.

CUBAN RESOLUTION IN THE SENATE.

While speaking in support of the Turpie resolution, Senator Sherman of Ohio, was criticised by Senator Turpie of Indiana, who went so far as to say that Sherman's resolution was a "stupid" one.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—In the senate yesterday Turpie was recognized in support of the joint resolution of call for the sending of a United States fleet to Cuba waters to protect Americans and to stop Spanish barbarities. Turpie said this resolution was full of meaning, considering the remarkable change of front of the chairman of the committee on foreign relations (Sherman) and the senator from Massachusetts (Hoar) in their conduct of the Cuban campaign. This resolution proposed to send a United States naval force to Cuba. During the Cuban trouble our fleet was sent to Chili and exercised a most salutary influence. And now on the same errand and with the same purpose a United States fleet should proceed to Havana.

Jumps on Sherman. This resolution was the natural outgrowth of the inertia, inaction and obstruction of the chairman of the committee on foreign relations (Sherman) since he took refuge in the cry of a conference committee. Turpie severely criticised Sherman's "abominable proceedings" in handling the Cuban resolution. The resolutions offered by Sherman had proposed "intervention," but it was not disclosed by this remarkable document whether we were to intervene to restore the grasp of Spain in Cuba, or in behalf of Cuba to throw off that grasp.

"When the time comes for intervention," exclaimed Turpie, "I am for intervention on the side of Cuba for the sake of freedom and independence and for no other reason."

DISTRICT BILL AMENDED.

Aid for Sectarial and Ecclesiastical Institutions Eliminated.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The District of Columbia appropriation bill, which was recommended to the committee by the house on account of the aid carried by it to charitable institutions, was Wednesday considered by that committee and remodeled so far as it applied to private institutions. The question which caused so much trouble in the house was disposed of by a sweeping amendment. All of the items for private and semi-private institutions which have heretofore depended largely upon the government for support were stricken from the bill.

In place of these appropriations a lump sum of \$94,700, equal to the total of the various items, is added for the relief and care of the poor and such charitable and reformatory work as has heretofore been provided for by direct appropriations, to be expended by the district commissioners, either under contract or by employing the public institutions of the district. Contracts are limited to June 30, 1897, the end of the next fiscal year, the commissioners are required to render an account of their disbursements and strict limitations are placed upon their powers. The amendment ends with this clause: "That no part of the money here appropriated shall be paid for the purpose of maintaining or aiding, by payment for services or expenses or otherwise, any church or religious denomination or any institution or society which is under sectarian or ecclesiastical control."

CONTEST CASES SETTLED.

Committee Report Favors Unseating of Elliott of South Carolina.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Four contested election cases were decided Wednesday by the house elections committee No. 2. In only one case was the report adverse to a member now holding the seat, that of Murray vs. Elliott, from the first South Carolina district, which is favorable to Murray. The other cases were: Johnson vs. Stokes, Seventh South Carolina, in favor of Stokes; Kearly vs. Abbott, Fifth Texas, in favor of Abbott; Ratliff vs. Williams, Fifth Mississippi, in favor of Williams. In the last case the contestant did not make an appearance and minority reports will be filed in all the others.

The Bankruptcy Bill.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The house committee on the judiciary has completed its work upon the bankruptcy bill and decided to report the bill to the house this week. The measure is based upon the old Torrey bill, which has been before congress for several years.

Became Law Without Approval.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The act originating in the senate to authorize the leasing of lands for educational purposes in Arizona Wednesday became law without the president's approval.

Oliver Optie's Long Journey.

BOSTON, April 9.—William T. Adams, better known as Oliver Optie, the author of books for boys, reached Boston Tuesday after a trip around the world. The 28,000 miles of the journey occupied 125 days and in his western course he spent considerable time in the principal cities of Japan and China, then south to Singapore, Port Said and Ceylon.

Struck by a Train.

DOWNSIDE, Pa., April 9.—Charles H. Larkin and Patrick Cordigan, two members of a wrecking crew, were struck by a fast freight train on the Pennsylvania railroad, near here, and instantly killed. The men had been detailed to assist in clearing the track of a trifling wreck and were returning to this place, walking on the track, when the freight struck them.

His Cash Was Short.

LANSING, Mich., April 9.—Frank Saunders, agent of the Great Northern railway, attempted to commit suicide Tuesday afternoon as a consequence of an examination of his books by the traveling auditor. He is now lying in a precarious condition. Saunders' shortage so far as investigated is \$9,000.

Westinghouse Office Destroyed.

PITTSBURGH, April 9.—The general office and club house of the Westinghouse Air-Brake company at Wilmerding, Pa., were destroyed by fire at noon Wednesday. Loss, \$100,000, fully insured.

PETER CASSIDY'S WRIST.

A Loose Piece of Bone Discovered by the Use of X Rays.

LOUISVILLE, April 9.—The first base ball player in the history of the national game to be mixed up in any way with the new fangled X rays is Peter Cassidy, the Colonel's new first baseman. Late Tuesday afternoon Dr. Vance and Stuckey took a photograph of Cassidy's wrist with cathode rays. It was a very successful trial. The young man had been suffering with his wrist for some time and ordinary remedies did not seem to do him any good. Then the X rays were thought of. The photograph shows that in Cassidy's wrist there is a loose piece of bone, a splinter which moves about in the wrist. This was what caused all the trouble. Every time the wrist got a jar the little piece of bone moved to another part of the wrist, making it sore. Cassidy said he was sure all the time. To remove the splinter required but a surgical operation.

ANTI-TREATING BILL.

It Passes the Ohio House—The Penalties Prescribed.

COLUMBUS, O., April 9.—The question, "What'll you have?" promises to be a dangerous one to propound in Ohio hereafter. The Norris anti-treating bill passed the house Tuesday night—57 to 7. Fondry of high hat bill fame voted against it. It provides that "whoever treats or offers to treat another person to an intoxicating drink, or whoever gives or offers to give to another person an intoxicating drink is guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not less than \$1, nor more than \$3, and the cost of prosecution for the first offense, and for the second offense, under the provisions of this act, he shall be fined not less than \$5, nor more than \$5, and the costs, and for the third offense shall be fined not less than \$10 nor more than \$20 and costs."

CASE TO BE CONSIDERED.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 9.—An important traffic case has just been completed by the Grand Rapids and Indiana road on the one side and the Chicago and West Michigan and Detroit, Lansing and Northern on the other, by which the roads cease to be competitors on through business. The Grand Rapids and Indiana abandons its connection with the Michigan Central and turns all its Detroit and Chicago through business over to the West Michigan. The Chicago and West Michigan abandons all through passenger business to the north and the Grand Rapids and Indiana will have its old monopoly on the resort business to Potosky and Mackinaw this summer.

Believe It Was Murder.

ST. PAUL, April 9.—The body of Private John C. Sheldon of Company C, Third Regiment, United States Infantry, at Fort Snelling, was found dead beside the railroad tracks, near Minneapolis, Monday night, with the head severed from the body. The coroner's jury, brought in a verdict of accidental death. However, the officers and soldiers believe firmly that there was foul play and are pushing an investigation. It is stated that there is a woman in the case. It is understood that "Sheldon" was an assumed name and that the soldier's real name was John McDonald, probably of Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Bill in Favor of Wheelmen.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 9.—The bill making it obligatory upon railroads to carry bicycles free if a release for damages is given was passed by the assembly Wednesday—yes 127, noes 1. The bill was immediately taken over to the senate where it passed—56 to 24. The senate also passed the bill which forbids sporting exhibitions except under the auspices of legally organized athletic clubs. There was no opposition to the measure.

Clubbled into Insensibility.

PANA, Ill., April 9.—A tramp named Henry Schurtz, from St. Louis, and several tramping companions were camping on the Big Four railroad, near the city limits, and a discussion arose between Schurtz and one of the party. The latter clubbed Schurtz into insensibility with a fence rail, and would have ended his life had not other members of the camping party interfered. Schurtz lay insensible for seven hours before found.

Mysterious Suicide.

ST. LOUIS, April 9.—George Bauer, aged 35 years, a collector, employed by Percy & Vallet, real estate agents, committed suicide in Forest Park Tuesday afternoon by shooting himself through the heart. He had a wife with whom he lived happily and had no enemies. It is believed that the cause of his death was a quarrel with Percy & Vallet's accounts are correct, but an investigation will be made that will probably develop the cause for the deed.

Good News for Bike Tourists.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 9.—The feeling among wheelmen created by the re-enactment of old regulations governing tourists' bicycles brought into Canada has prompted the department of customs to frame regulations to meet the case of bona-fide tourists. Members of the League of American Wheelmen may bring their wheels into Canada free of cost, providing the wheels shall leave by the same port.

Field Clear for Wellington.

BALTIMORE, April 9.—It is announced by the friends of James K. Gary, the present member from Maryland of the Republican national committee, that he will decline a re-election to that office. This leaves the field clear for Senator Wellington, and there seems but little doubt that he will be selected for the place.

Business Portion Wiped Out.

ROCKFORD, Mich., April 9.—The business portion of this place was wiped out by fire early Wednesday morning. The loss was about \$75,000, partially covered by insurance. The fire started in a row of frame buildings and swept both sides of Main street.

Bishop Ryan Very Low.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 9.—Bishop Ryan of the Roman Catholic diocese of Buffalo is very low with Bright's disease. The end may be expected at any time.

THE DEATH RECORD.

ABEL KEYES, an old resident of Menasha, Wis. FREDERICK L. MORSE, well-known musician, at Kankakee, Ill. N. KIMBLEY, prominent lawyer at Galesburg, Ill. C. H. GREEN, professor of music at Peoria, Ill.

CHICAGO REPUBLICAN.

The World's Fair City Carried by That Party.

CONTEST CLOSE AND EXCITING.

Town Tickets in the Various Divisions of the City Elected by the Republicans by All Kinds of Majorities—The Republican A. P. A. Candidate for Mayor Elected at Kansas City—Republicans Elect Their Mayor at Milwaukee.

CHICAGO, April 9.—This was a Republican year in the town tickets, and all of Chicago went Republican by all sorts of majorities. The south town was the scene of a most exciting contest. The Democrats named a popular man, Martin Emech, for assessor. Heburn, the Republican nominee, won by a plurality of 77 out of a total vote of 22,573. Samuel H. Truitt, the candidate for supervisor, has a plurality of 2,786, and Kane, the nominee for collector, proved the star, receiving a plurality of 3,618. Martin, the candidate for clerk, barely won out, getting a plurality over his Democratic competitor of 154. The fight was made against Heburn, every article known to political warfare being used against him.

In the North Town.

The Republicans over in the north town carried every ward in the town by pluralities ranging from 497 to 4,393. Bill, the Republican candidate for assessor, has a plurality of 3,787 over W. K. Ackerman, who was induced by the Democrats to accept the nomination for assessor on their ticket. The west town went Republican by 7,093 to 8,030, and William Gifford the nominee for assessor, has a lead of over 4,000 votes. Stephen, the Republican nominee for collector, has a plurality of 8,519. The Republican nominee for supervisor, William, wins by 8,015, and Barry, the Republican nominee for clerk, is elected by 9,653. This is the way the Republican pluralities showed up in the town of Lake. Cochrane, assessor, 1,193; Gurney, collector, 1,074; Lundberg, supervisor, 1,191; Hays, clerk, 2,787. The total vote cast in Lake was 21,814. Lake View will have a Republican town organization, the entire ticket being elected by pluralities of 2,530. The total vote cast in the two wards composing the town was 11,423.

Hyde Park in the List.

The entire Republican town ticket in Hyde Park won very easily, the average plurality being a trifling over 7,000. Mr. Randall, the Republican candidate for assessor, had a plurality of 7,528 over Tracy, Democrat. Mr. Olson, the Republican candidate for supervisor, beat his Democratic opponent, Wiora, 7,619 votes. The total vote cast for the town ticket was about 17,444.

Jefferson elected Republican town officers by comfortable majorities, and the same result was probably obtained in Calumet.

Thirty-six aldermen were elected from the thirty-four wards of Chicago, two of them to fill vacant seats in the Tenth and Nineteenth wards. The Democrats gained aldermen in a number of wards, but lost in other wards, so that, on the whole, the Democratic strength in the next council will be about the same as in the present council. The council will stand: Republicans, 47; Democrats, 19; Independent, 3; holdover, Republicans 27; Democrats 5.

Illinois Town Elections.

Town elections were held throughout Illinois Tuesday. As a general thing Republican victories are reported. At Monmouth a surprise was caused by the election of William Klenberger, a college educated man, to the office of assessor. Republican gains are reported in Danville, Charleston, Sigel, Mattoon, Champagne, Urbana, Lacon, Vandalia and Princeton. In Salem the entire Democratic ticket was elected, where the Republicans were successful a year ago. At Mount Sterling a free silver ticket was in the field. No license carried at Yates City. A municipal election was held in Quincy. The Democrats elected five aldermen and the Republicans three. At Rockford John C. Carver, Rep., was elected circuit judge of the Tenth judicial district. Democrats elected their town ticket at Freeport. At Juliet honors were divided. Republicans carried Kankakee and Mattoon. Ottawa went Democratic. Republicans carried the day at Springfield, and there an increased Republican majority at Plano.

WISCONSIN RETURNS.

Republicans Elect Their Mayor at the Cream City.

MILWAUKEE, April 9.—A large stay-at-home element, coupled with a remarkably large Populist vote, has come very near defeating the Republican ticket in this city. Returns indicate the election of Hauschenberger by a plurality ranging from 1,530 to 3,000 votes. This carries with it the other nominees on the city ticket, as Hauschenberger was badly out in the American wards. The Democrats have gained several members of the common council, but the Republicans will still control that body by a safe majority. On the board of supervisors the Democrats have also made gains, and may have a majority. The election was notable for the number of split ballots cast.

MADISON, Wis., April 9.—D. R. P.,

was elected mayor over Alfred, Dem., by 60 plurality. Clark, Dem., was elected treasurer. Democrats elected four out of six aldermen.

R. D. Marshall is re-elected associate justice of the supreme court. In the Eighth judicial circuit, E. W. Holmes, Rep., is probably elected judge, and in the Thirteenth Warham Parks, Rep., probably defeats J. J. Dick, Dem. In the four other districts, the incumbents are re-elected without opposition.

KANSAS CITY ELECTION.

The Republican A. P. A. Candidate for Mayor Elected.

KANSAS CITY, April 9.—Complete returns from Tuesday's city election give Jones, the Republican A. P. A. candidate for mayor, a majority of 1,873 over Kumpf, Independent-Democrat. With the exception of one member of the school board and four members of the lower house the remainder of the Jones ticket ran ahead of him, receiving majorities ranging from 501 to 2,221. George S. Graham was elected president of the upper house; John J. Green, treasurer; John G. Bishop, auditor; Fred W. Gillett, police judge; Charles E. Burnham, attorney. Frank A. Faxon, Rep., for member of the school board was elected over Taylor, Rep. The lower council is evenly divided.

vided, five Democrats and five Republicans being elected. So close was the scratching that the result was a doubt until late Tuesday evening and the final figures were not had until far after midnight.

Results in Kansas Cities.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 9.—Results of the elections in Kansas cities of the second class Tuesday are considerably mixed as to political lines. In many places the chief issue was the drug store or other saloons, commonly called "joints," and the vote in nearly every case was against continued toleration of illegal liquor selling. Women vote for municipal officers in this state, and in many towns took a very active interest in the contest. At Cimarron the women were victorious. Mrs. C. A. Curtis being elected mayor by a small majority over Dr. Lawrence. The election board was composed wholly of women, who were out in full force. Mrs. Curtis is over 60 years of age. She is a woman of good business ability, and is quite wealthy.

In Arkansas.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 9.—Municipal elections were held in Arkansas Tuesday. The Democrats were successful in all townships save Newport and Jonesboro, where the Republicans elected their tickets.

Populist Ticket Elected.

VICTOR, Colo., April 9.—The entire Populist town ticket, headed by James Doyle for mayor, was elected here after a hot fight by about 100 majority.

STEER RUNS AMUCK.

The Infuriated Beast Killed by a Boy with

MILWAUKEE, April 9.—A steer broke away from a butcher on Violet street Tuesday and dashed down the thoroughfare, which was crowded with pedestrians. Men, women, and children ran in all directions to get away from the infuriated animal and several were slightly hurt.

There was a bicycle rider in sight and the animal chased him. The rider pumped for all he was worth, but the steer gained on him and the man jumped from the wheel and ran for a patrol box around which he circled in an effort to keep away from the steer's horns.

A squad of police tried to capture the infuriated beast, but he got away from them, and, tearing down Seventh street, cleared that thoroughfare of pedestrians. The police followed in a wagon and fired several shots without hitting him. Then a boy with a rifle came along killed the steer at his first shot.

Herr Ahlwardt Fined.

NEW YORK, April 9.—Herr Ahlwardt, the German Jew-baiter, was arraigned Tuesday on the charge of carrying concealed weapons, the charge growing out of Monday night's disturbances, when he was knocked down and peddled with cabbage. He was fined \$10. As he was leaving the court room he was arrested a second time, charged with assault. He gave bail to await the action of the grand jury. It has been decided that Ahlwardt will not be allowed to publicly express his anti-Semitic opinions in any public place in Hoboken in the future. If he does he will be arrested immediately as a disorderly person.

Illinois Prohibitionists.

SPRINGFIELD, April 9.—The state convention of the Prohibition party met here Wednesday for the purpose of nominating a state ticket, selecting seventy delegates to the national convention of the party, which meets at Pittsburg May 27, and to renew its declaration of principles. There are between 800 and 900 delegates in attendance, and it goes without saying that they are all orderly, sober, and generally a God-fearing body of men. The various congressional delegations met Wednesday morning and selected committees on credentials, resolutions, delegates to the national convention, etc.

Went Through a Bridge.

TOLEDO, O., April 9.—At an early hour Wednesday morning a ponderous steam excavator, pushed along by a light engine, jumped the track while crossing the Wheeling and Lake Erie railway bridge over the Maumee river, and, tearing through the whole of an eighty-foot span into the river with it. The engine remained on the track. Elbert Briggs of Ironville, a switchman, riding on the excavator, was carried down by it and drowned.

Chloroformed the Family.

MONMOUTH, Ill., April 9.—Burglars entered the house of E. H. Crandall, a wealthy farmer residing near Lohrland, this county, and administered chloroform to the entire family. The robbers then ransacked the house, carried away everything of value, and made good their escape. The family did not awaken from their death-like slumber until late on Monday evening, and, although suffering from the effects of the drug they succeeded in alarming the neighbors.

Utah Republicans Convention.

SALT LAKE, April 9.—The state Republican convention here Tuesday and elected a pronounced free silver and anti-McKinley delegation. The meeting was a spirited one, but on the whole good natured. The delegates chosen were Senator Frank J. Cannon and Arthur Brown, R. representatives. Allen, Colonel. Leas, Trumbo, Thomas Kearns, one of the owners of the Silver King mine at Park City, and W. S. McCannick, the banker.

Kassala Not Evacuated.

LONDON, April 9.—A special dispatch received here from Rome says that Kassala has not been evacuated, as previously reported, but that Colonel Stevenson's column has been withdrawn in order to decrease the number of months to be fed, and in view of the fact that the ordinary garrison of that place is now considered strong enough to defend it.

Beaten, Stabbed and Robbed.

DENVER, April 9.—George J. Hall, lightweight pugilist and instructor at the South Side Athletic club, was beaten, robbed and robbed by burglars in his home Tuesday night. Hall made a desperate fight and one burglar struck him in the side with a knife, inflicting a possibly fatal wound. Hall formerly lived in Chicago.

All Died the Same Day.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., April 9.—In an undertaker's room in Pompey the bodies of John Van Brocklin, aged 83, and his two sisters, Eliza, aged 83, and Martha, aged 73. All three died in the same house on the same day of pneumonia. The three were taken ill almost simultaneously.

EFFECT BADLY FELT.

Spain Cannot Stand the War Much Longer.

AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS SUFFER.

The Young Men Who Should Be Tilling the Soil Are Sent to Cuba to Fight the Insurgents—The American Congress Hotly Condemned by Spanish Journals for Recognizing the Belligerency of the Insurgents in Cuba—Waiting on Cleveland.

MADRID, April 9.—The impartial scolds the Spanish government for laxity of spirit against the attitude of the American congress. It asserts danger still exists which is perhaps greater than before. More than ever the effects of the insurrection are felt in the farming districts, where at the present time it is hard to engage laborers. Mr. Barnett, manager of the Peninsula company's big holdings at Mao, says he found it almost impossible to secure sufficient help to work his land, so many young men had gone to Cuba. Another man who owns a large tract near Toledo, says out of forty hands twelve had recently gone to war. Any one who takes a trip through the agricultural districts will be convinced beyond a doubt that the present strain on the country is terrible, and one which Spain cannot stand without serious injury for any length of time.

American Congress Condemned.

All the papers hotly condemn the American congress for the belligerency resolutions, which they persist in considering an act of hostility and insult to the Spanish people, which must be met by resolute, active preparations for resisting all kinds of intervention. It is understood the government will calmly await the decision of, or advances from President Cleveland, but will, in the meantime, push the operations in Cuba, while firmly checking all exaggerations and demonstrations in Spain that might create international complications.

Spanish diplomacy has led the government to believe that President Cleveland will endeavor to gain time until the rainy season begins in Cuba, in May, to see if the military situation is really modified, meanwhile instructing the American minister at Madrid to negotiate directly with Canovas in a friendly way, with a view of making some compromise that could satisfy the autonomist aspirations of the majority of the Cubans and the imperial interests of Spain, through American mediation.

NEWS FROM HAVANA.

Cane-fields Burned by the Insurgents—Manuel Gonzalez Killed.

HAVANA, April 9.—The insurgents have burned the cane-fields and 1,800 tons of sugar at the plantation of Santa Rita de Baro, province of Matanzas. Near Jovelanos insurgents are reported to have killed four laborers with their machetes, and at Tapaste they are announced to have hanged a local guerrilla.

A dispatch from Trinidad says that Manuel Gonzalez, the insurgent leader, has been killed and a telegram from Oliver says that four insurgents have been captured there and that in addition the authorities have made a prisoner the mistress of the well-known insurgent leader, Blas Hernandez.

Says Cleveland's a Conundrum.

NEW YORK, April 9.—An informal meeting of Cuban leaders was held at the Hotel America Tuesday night. The possibility of Cuban belligerency being actually recognized in the near future by President Cleveland was discussed at length. All seemed to be sanguine of the disposition of congress to pass a joint resolution which would insure action on the part of the president.

"Mr. Cleveland," said Mr. Portuondo, "is the great political conundrum of the present time. We can only pursue our unequal struggle on the island and continue to hope. We have done that from the beginning, and have much in the shape of results to encourage us."

BALLINGTON BOOTH AT CHICAGO.

He Addresses a Great Multitude of People at the Auditorium.

CHICAGO, April 9.—Ballington Booth and his wife arrived in the city Tuesday afternoon and at night they addressed a meeting of fully 5,000 people in the Auditorium. Both made addresses saying that they were in no way antagonistic to the Salvation Army, but they proposed to conduct a movement similar to the work of that organization, along parallel lines. Ex-Brigadier General Fisking of the Salvation Army occupied a seat upon the platform and it was announced that he would command the northwest division of Volunteers, with the rank of colonel. Booth said he would hold no meetings with his sister, Commissioner Eva Booth, who is now in the city. His last interview with her, he said, had been misinterpreted, and he would not hold another. Neither Booth nor his wife had anything to say regarding the specific causes that led them to resign from the Salvation Army.

New York, April 9.—Fully 4,000 people

assembled at Carnegie hall Tuesday night to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Booth-Tucker, the new commanders of the Salvation Army in the United States. The reception was enthusiastic. In his address Commander Booth-Tucker briefly referred to deserters of the Salvation Army.

Fire at Savannah, Ga.

SAVANNAH, April 9.—Fire Wednesday entirely destroyed the large six-story brick building occupied by the Savannah Grocery company, on Bay street near Bull. The loss on the building is placed at \$24,000 and on the stock \$100,000. The insurance on the building was \$27,000. The stock was insured in New York city offices for over \$100,000.

Race Horse in Collision.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 9.—While taking exercise early Wednesday morning at Montgomery park the race horses Addie Buchanan, Leovitt and Dan Huger, the latter a valuable colt by Simple Simon, came into collision and the three were seriously injured. One colored exercise boy received fatal injuries.

News from Matabeland.

LONDON, April 9.—A dispatch to the Times from Bulawayo says that 600 women and children are lagged there. "Trustworthy" news has been received, the dispatch adds, "that the rebels are massing fifteen miles distant."

At the office of Mr. R. Oates, Calumet, Mich.